IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Michalak)
WICHAIAN) PATENT PENDING
Serial No.: 10/736,814) Examiner: Marceau Miloro
Filed: 16 December 2003) Examiner Marceau Millord
) Group Art Unit: 2618
For: Integrated Wireless Headset) Confirmation No.: 5394
Docket No: 2002-030/ U03 0105US1)

DECLARATION OF IVAN NELSON WAKEFIELD

I, Ivan Nelson Wakefield, hereby declare as follows:

- On or about 19 April 2003, Gerald P. Michalak conceived the invention tentatively entitled "Integrated Wireless Headset" while employed at Sony Ericsson Mobile Communications (USA) Inc. Mr. Michalak prepared an invention disclosure describing his invention on or about 23 April 2003, and submitted it to Sony Ericsson's patent department. A copy of that invention disclosure is attached as Exhibit 1.
- 2) After Sony Ericsson completed an internal review process, Mr. Michalak's invention disclosure was forwarded to an outside patent counsel working with Sony Ericsson on or about 30 September 2003, with a request to prepare and file a patent application. A copy of the corresponding instruction cover letter to the patent counsel is attached as Exhibit 2.
- 3) A draft patent application covering Mr. Michalak's invention was prepared by patent counsel and sent to Mr. Michalak on or about 9 December 2003. A copy of the corresponding cover letter is attached as Exhibit 3.
- 4) After revisions to the application based on Mr. Michalak's comments, a final draft of the application was sent to Mr. Michalak on or about 11 December 2003. A copy of the corresponding cover letter is attached as Exhibit 4.

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- 5) The application was filed with the U.S.P.T.O on or about 16 December 2003, receiving U.S. Application Serial No. 10/736,814.
- The invention claimed in U.S. Application Serial No. 10/736,814, of which Gerald P. Michalak is the sole inventor, was conceived before May 2003 and pursued with reasonable diligence until the filing of the corresponding application on or about 16 December 2003.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under §1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Date

LAUDY 15,2007

Ivan Nelson Wakefield